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In re application of:  Udaya BHASKAR et al.	Art Unit: 2654	MAY 03 2005
Serial No: 10/073,406	Examiner: Abul K. AZAD	
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Title: VOICING MEASURE FOR A SPEECH CODEC SYSTEM	<u>Craig Plastrik</u> Name  Signature	

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

The Owner, HUGHES NETWORK SYSTEMS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, having a principal office in Germantown, Maryland, and duly represented by the undersigned attorney of record, represents that it is the assignee of the full title and interest in and to the above-identified Patent Application No. 10/073,406, filed February 13, 2002.

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Application No. 10/073,423. This agreement shall run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

The Owner does not disclaim the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term of any patent granted on said Application No. 10/073,423, as shortened by any terminal disclaimer filed before the grant of such patent, in the event that any such granted patent (1) expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, (2) is held unenforceable, (3) is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, (4) is the subject of any disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. 1.321, (5) has all claims cancelled by a reexamination certificate, (6) is reissued or (7) is otherwise terminated prior to the expiration of its full statutory term as shortened by any terminal disclaimer filed prior to its grant.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$ 130, as prescribed under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d), to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

Respectfully Submitted,



Dated: 3 May 2005

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